

The attention of the scientific world has lately been aroused by statements, supposed to come from Dr.

The writer saw these vines, and, from the development of the wood, should rather have believed them to be fifty than fifteen years old. A patent was granted to General Plensonton for this invention and the leaves of his vines measured, as curiosities, taken to Washington and photographed by order of Professor Brainerd in the Patent Office. The extraordinary results attained caused General Plensonton to ask the inventor

panes of blue and colorless glass therein. He stalled this mule was before a door with such a transom over it. When the sun arose in the morning, he cast his light through this transom on the neck and top of the head of this mule. Before he set in the afternoon, he threw his light again upon the head and neck of the mule through the transom of another door on the northwestern side of the stable. The effect of the light was, the animal has been the owner of his rhinoceros.

The nurse made the bed; but in a few days after the severe sun bath was taken in succession she surprised the entire family by getting up and dressing herself while they were at breakfast. She probably over-exerted herself, as she did not so well for two or three days thereafter. However, she continued to improve very rapidly, and has now almost entirely regained her usual health.

Owing to the difficulty in the Board of Canvassers Jersey City several members who were declared eligible have not yet qualified. Messrs. Thomas and Detwiler of the Board of Education, Messrs. Love and Anderson

One of the most prominent Syracuse politicians, conversing with me to-day, gave his views on G. Tilden and the coming Convention as follows:

the carelessness of a porter, named Zena P. a lighted candle into the basement, which is gas and caused the explosion of a barrel of first floor and basement of the building were by Bell, McLaughlin & Co., dealers in oils. Damage to stock, \$3,000; insured in the W. City, Standard and Columbia companies. The second floor was rented by Milton C. John

soon on the spot. The fire, it is alleged, was the carelessness of a porter, named Zena Poo